

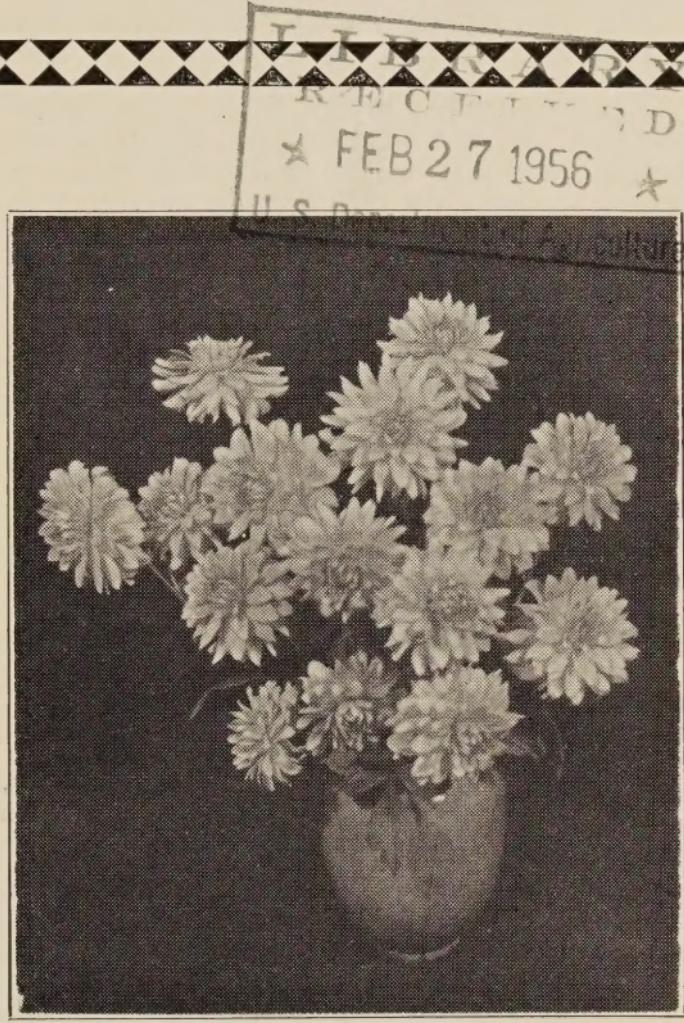
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Desirable Dahlias

NORTHWEST GROWN

For your **1956** Garden



JUNIOR HI

J. E. Hulin

**COTTAGE GROVE
DAHLIA GARDENS**

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Port Orchard, Washington
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STATION ANNOUNCEMENT

(Read Carefully)



It is with a sense of regret and disappointment that we send you our annual dahlia catalogue, in this abbreviated form. The reason is that the Weather Man gave us a terrible deal in November. In our locality very few dahlias are dug before the middle of Nov., and this year (1955), the first in our history, we had a hard freeze from the 11th till the 18th with temperatures only a few points above zero. We lost about 80% of our stock including several good seedlings we were to introduce in 1957. Along with these we lost several belonging to other Growers that were sent to us for trial.

Of necessity the offers herein are limited and early orders will have a preference. To our many customers who placed orders in the field, with a deposit paid, rest assured we will do our best to satisfy you.

TERMS—We require cash with orders or 25% deposit till shipping time. All orders of \$5.00 and over will be sent prepaid. Customers will please send in the amount of postage on your package for orders under \$5.00 soon after received. Unused stamps will do. No C.O.D. orders as this is an added expense to you. Washington customers be sure to include sales tax.

CLASSIFICATION:

A—Large, over 8 inches	B—Medium, 4 to 8 inches
F.D.—Formal Decorative	S.C.—Semi Cactus
I.D.—Informal Decorative	I.C.—Incurved Cactus
St.C.—Straight Cactus	

OUR INTRODUCTION FOR 1956

JUNIOR HI

(Botting - Hulin)



This sweet little miniature has been grown for the past five years exclusively for the Florist trade, always with heavy demand. A lovely color combination of orange with white tips. The blooms are 4x2 inches on long and strong stems. It is an early and heavy bloomer

with excellent keeping qualities. Flowers for the picture on the front were cut Nov. 4th and the picture taken on the 5th. The white tips do not show as plain as they do in warm weather. Large stock, dug before the freeze, permits this low price of **only \$2.00 NET.** Shipping charges extra.

NO BLOT ink pencil. The best yet for marking your dahlia roots. It will not run, fade or wash off. **Each 15#.**

BIRD'S RED PAPER POTS

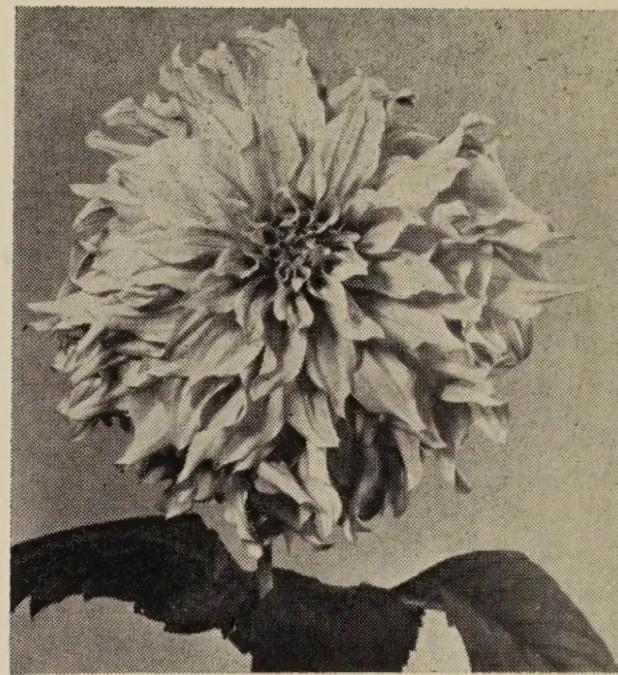
Ideal for transplants and cuttings. No root disturbance when setting out plants, just unwind the pot.

3 inch size—per doz. 25¢; 3 doz. 70¢; 100 for \$1.40 prepaid

DESIRABLE DAHLIAS For Your 1956 Garden.

ALABASTER —B. - F.D.	A new white seedling from The Real Glory that is proving to be one of the best of the recent whites. Strong stems hold the flowers well and the bush growth is ideal. Size is 8 x 5 inches and the blooms are produced freely.	\$2.00
ALICE MAY —A - I.D.	An old favorite from Australia in a pure white of large size. Good stems and heavy bloomer.	1.00
AMERICAN JUDGE —A - S.C.	A large golden yellow with salmon orange shadings on outer petals. The formation is different in that the inner petals are broad coming to a point, giving the bloom great depth	1.50
AUTUMN GLORY —A - F.D.	A very large glowing orange on extra strong stems. The 11 inch blooms are well up above the foliage. A winner.	1.00
BEAUTIFUL LADY —A - F.D.	A clear yellow of 10 inches on strong and long stems. One of the first to bloom over a tall plant.	1.00
BLACK MONARCH —A - S.C.	A consistent winner in the real dark reds. The plant is robust and the large blooms are on real stiff stems.	1.50
BLUE MOON —A - I.D.	A clean growing variety with a sturdy bush. The large blooms have an unusual color of lavender to lilac purple with a darker center. Good strong stems.	.75
CARL DAHL —A - I.D.	This is one of the general favorites in the really big blooms. The color is peach pink with an amber glow and golden buff reverse. Strong stiff stems. Medium tall bush.	.75
CAVALCADE —B - F.D.	Old standby in a golden buff of 7 to 8 inches on good long stems. It is a sport of Jersey's Beauty and a fine keeper when cut for exhibition.	.50
COMMANDO —A - F.D.	A sturdy plant producing large Tyrian purple blooms on strong stems. One you will like and easy to grow	.75
CONFUCIUS —A - S.C.	This striking bright coral red is a giant in it's class. Blooms are 10 to 12 inches on strong stems. Few dahlias have achieved greater popularity	1.00
COLOR SKETCH —B - F.D.	Pale pink bordered deep rose on outer half of petals. An early and free bloomer on stiff stems. 7 inch by 4 deep	1.00
CROYDON'S MASTERPIECE —A - I.D.	One of the largest varieties ever to come from Australia. The massive blooms are a shade of copper and tan and are on strong stems. A constant winner and general favorite.	1.50
DARCY SAINSBURY —A - F.D.	An always popular large white. Size is often up to 10 inches on strong stems. Medium tall	.75
DEL MARVA —A - I.D.	Nine inch blooms of scarlet orange with yellow on good strong stems. Husky growing plant and good bloomer.	.75
DAHLIA SEEDS —A	new dahlia can be yours from one dahlia seed. We have a nice lot of miniature and Pom seed mixed. Generous size pkt.	1.00

Some cars run 20 miles to a gal. of gas — others go 80 miles to a pint of liquor.



JULIA McKAMEY

DIXIE WINEDOT —A - I.D. A strong growing variegated white splashed with ruby wine. Can be grown to 12 inches on strong stems. You may get a solid wine color at times. A variety to show your friends	1.25
EASTERN ECHO —B - F.D. Very attractive variegated dark pink with red stripes and dots. The six inch blooms are most eye catching .....	.75
EDITH MORRELL —A - I.D. A very large lavender rose, much the color of Clara Carder, with a faint shade of gold at the edges of the curled petals. It has won as largest in show many times.	1.00
ELLEANOR RADELL —B - I.D. Nice clean pink with striking petal curl at tips of the pointed petals. Long strong stems .....	.50
GLAMOUR —A - I.D. An immense true purple with the petals edged lavender pink. Long strong stems hold the blooms well. Has been grown to 13 inches and won as largest in show many times.	.75
GOULBURN —A - I.C. A large Australian cactus that has won favor where ever shown. The large blooms are lemon yellow at the base blending to a reddish apricot at the tips. Extra strong stems .....	.75
GRAND SLAM —A - S.C. An old favorite that has been winning consistently for a number of years. The color is citron yellow and amaranth pink. An early producer of large attractive blooms	1.00
HELIOS —A - S.C. A fine exhibition number of saffron yellow with a lemon base. 10 inch blooms are on strong stems. Early to bloom	1.00
INCANDESCENT —B - I.D. Color of this beauty is rich rosy buff with a shading of yellow. Large blooms are held well on stiff stems .....	.50
JANE LAUSCHE —A - S.C. An outstanding bi-color of mallow purple with white tips. 10 inch blooms are common and heavily produced	1.00
JOS. B. LANKTREE —A - I.D. One of the most popular bright reds we know. The extra large blooms have been shown 14" on strong stems	1.50
JULIA McKAMEY —A - I.D. 9 to 10 inch blooms of a lovely clear pink on strong stems. Medium early bloomer and a many time winner	2.00

Space travel may be O.K. for some, but our prices are down to earth.

KELVIN —A - I.D.	One of the largest pinks to come from Australia. Many blooms from 12 to 14 inches have been shown. Heavy foliage	1.00
MARILYN DALE —A - S.C.	Clear deep lavender of a nice formation. The stems are strong and long. 9 to 10 inch blooms have won many prizes	1.00
MAYOR OTIS —A - I.D.	A massive golden bronze of 12 inches and larger. Stems hold the bloom well out. Plant early for best results	.75
MONTE —B - I.C.	A most attractive 6 to 7 inch scarlet cactus incurved like a chrysanthemum with fine pointed petals. Early and free producer of excellent keeping flowers	1.00
MONTEBELLO —A - I.D.	An attractive rich violet orchid with crimson tints. Has a long record of winnings. Stems are strong. Early bloomer	.75
NICKY K. —B - S.C.	One of the brightest reds we know. Sun, rain or fog does not change the color. Stiff stems keep it well	.75
OAKLEIGH CHAMPION —A - I.C.	Very artistic cactus of soft orange tinged with pink. Good stems present it well. Early and heavy bloomer	.75
ORFERO —B - I.C.	Early bloomer of dark purple on long stiff stems. The 8 inch blooms have very pointed petals and keep well.	.75
PENN CHARTER —B - I.D.	Large fluffy salmon orange with a buff sheen. The 7 inch blooms are well up on good stems. Early.	.50
PINK PROFUSION —B - F.D.	7 inch bloom of salmon pink edged with deep rose pink with a creamy white center. Excellent keeper on good long stems. Medium bush about 4 ft. and an early bloomer	1.00
PRINCE OF PERSIA —B - I.D.	A striking bright red of large size on good substantial stems. Bush is robust and fairly tall.	.50
PRIDE OF PARKERSBURG —A - S.C.	A grand large primrose yellow of 10 inches and better on strong stems. An Honor Roll number winning two achievement medals and many other prizes over the country	2.00



SILVER WEDDING

It's not the years in your life,
but the life in your years that count,

REES SUNSHINE —B - S.C.	A most delightful primrose yellow of 5 to 6 inches on stems holding them well above a nice green plant. Early bloomer and wonderful keeping qualities .....	.75
ROSY DAWN —B - F.D.	Rose pink with undertone of canary yellow. So full some call it a ball. Early bloomer. Six inch blooms on good stems .....	.50
ROUGE BOUQUET —B - I.C.	A nice blend of red with shades of yellow. The blooms are real full of 7 to 8 inches on strong stems .....	.50
SAGAMORE BEAUTY —B - F.D.	An old favorite that always attracts a great deal of attention. The 7 inch blooms are composed of an overall of orange red with cream stripes and spots. Stiff stems .....	.50
SETTING STAR —A - I.D.	A real giant of amber and bronze making a shining spot in any garden. The petals have nine points following a broad base. Bush is rather low but blooms are held well above on good stems	2.00
SILVER WEDDING —A - I.C.	Reports all over the country are very gratifying in regards to this beauty. It won several blues the past season in the Midwest and Eastern shows. The color is a silvery white with a faint mauve at center. Blooms are on strong stems and will average 10 inches	3.00
SYDNEY —A - I.D.	Massive flowers of rose pink on heavy strong stems. It is a lovely sight with deep pink blooms over the dark foliage.	1.00
TIDAL WAVE —A - I.D.	This is one of the largest clear yellows in commerce today, coming from Australia. It has won a number of prizes all over the country as well as at home. Ideal stems and plant.	2.50

MINIATURES

ANIMATO , St.C.	A pleasing pink of four inches. A neat little flower for arrangements	\$.75
BABY FONTENEAU , F.D.	Small bright pink. Early and heavy bloomer .....	.50
FONDA , F.D.	Metallic purple - a different color - on strong stems .....	.50
FAIRY , F.D.	Nice small lavender with pink shades, white center .....	.50
GERRIE HOECK , F.D.	Waterlily type of light pink on tall plants .....	.50
HESTIA , St.C.	Four inch blooms of soft peach with a darker center .....	.75
IKE , F.D.	Popular tall dark red on long stems. 4 inch blooms .....	.50
LILLY BELLE , F.D.	Apple blossom pink. Always good on strong stems .....	.50
MOSQUITO , S.C.	Small bright red on nice stems. Heavy bloomer .....	.50
SMILES , F.D.	One of the best keepers we have. Color is persimmon orange and very heavy bloomer on stiff stems	1.00
TARGET , I.D.	Bright orange on long stems. Good .....	.50
TACITA , I.D.	One of the heaviest producers of good pink flowers we have ever seen. Early bloomer of 4 inch flowers	1.00
TIPSOO	A bi-color duplex of bright red and white. Tall bushes .....	.50
VERITY WADSWORTH , F.D.	A lovely bright yellow of three inches .....	.50
WHITE FAWN , F.D.	Small clear white on medium bush. Extra good .....	.50

POM PONS

The following at the uniform price of 40¢ each

ATOM—Small orange red on long stems

BANTAM—Nice small bright red.

BETTY ANN—The nearest pink and good.

BETTY MALONE—Small light cream with lavender tips.

CHITA—Bright lemon yellow.

GEORGE ALBRIGHT—A popular gold with red tips.

HELEN ANITA—Light lavender with dark eye.

HAZEL DELL—Lavender cerise. Heavy bloomer.

LEMON GEM—Small lemon yellow. Tall.

JOE FETTE—Small pure white.

MINNIE MELLS—Small white with lavender tips.

PATRICIA K—Small creamy pink.

Any six of the above for \$2.00

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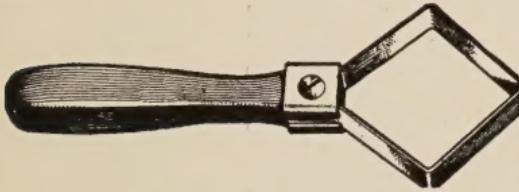


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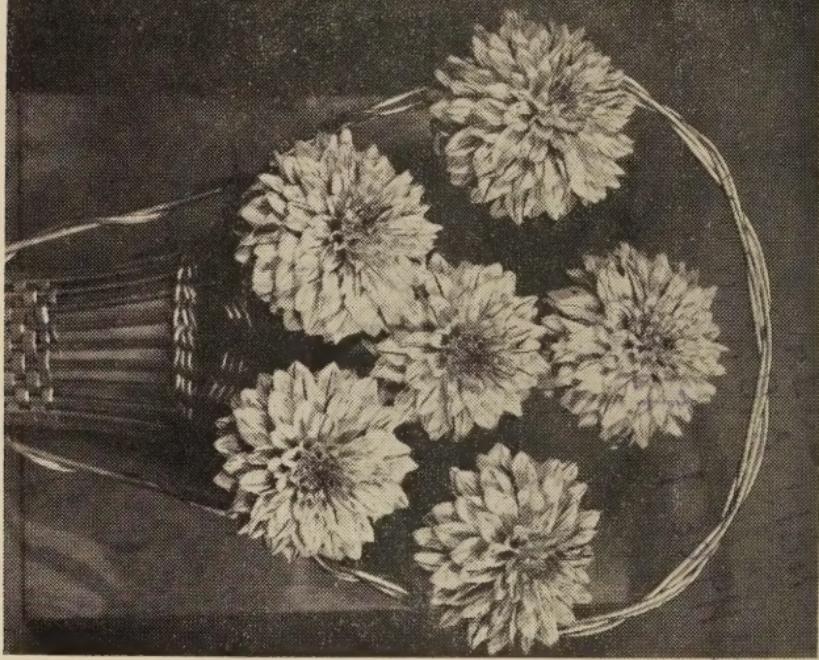


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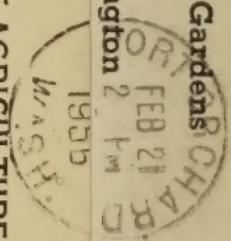


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